## Special Issue

## Interactions between Humans, Non-human Animals, and Al: Contemporary and Future Al Applications and Challenges

## Message from the Guest Editors

The purpose of this Special Issue is to facilitate the further research on the ethical challenges of contemporary and future Al applications, especially the implications for the interplay between humans, non-human animals and Al in the hyperconnected society. Authors are invited to submit theoretical or empirical research (quantitative, qualitative, case studies) and review papers. Intercultural, cross-tradition, and multidisciplinary investigations are highly welcome. Some keywords have been listed below for your possible reference. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- ethics of/for AI:
- Al application in humans' moral enhancement;
- morality in the Al-driven hyperconnected society;
- enactive and embodied cognition of social robots:
- from self-consciousness to social interactions in human and artificial agents;
- animal ethics:
- Al for animals.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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